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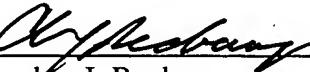
Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find:

- Form PTOL-85 dated July 5, 2005, in duplicate;
- Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance;
- "Fee Address" Indication Form; and
- Return postcard.

Respectfully submitted,

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COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:

Applicants respectfully submit that there may be other reasons for allowance and that the dependent claims include novel and non-obvious subject matter that is independently allowable over the art of record.

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